

## WHO FIGHTS MIT SIGEL?

**A SPIRITED GERMAN MEETING IN  
COOPER INSTITUTE HALL,**

**Unqualified Reception of the Modern Struggle—Eloquent Appeal for the Constitution of the Nation—The President and the Vice-President in the Battle for Freedom—The Prescriptive Democratic Party.**

Mr. Frederick Kapp, having been called to the chair in Cooper Institute last evening, delivered a paper on the subject of "The President and the Vice-President." It was a paper of great merit. Mr. Kapp's speech was interrupted by three rousing cheers for the General. A long list of Vice-Presidents was then read, after which the Chairman introduced Frank Sigel himself, when the celebration was renewed.

The General has in his possession the privileges which are enjoyed by the foreigner seeking a refuge and competence in the land of freedom. The Constitution of New York was made for a people of a different age and under different circumstances, and it needed re-fashioning. The Constitution that it replaced was made for a fraudulent voting, and it was not effectual to prevent dishonest legislation. It also preserved inviolable distinctions of race. The new Constitution

line distinction from our statute books. It also opposes effectual barriers to fraudulent voting and corrupt legislation. The Germans of the other States of the Union have been foremost in the battle of freedom, and we have been their friends, their allies, and believed, not be behind their countrymen. The Republican party has always recognized the rights of the German people, and has fought for their spiritual life. It lived in the Democratic party. The Germans of this State had long been a part of the American people, and to oppose by a few politicians who were unindifferent to the welfare of the people and greedy of office, the rights of the German people, politicians has shown in this city their determination not to recognize the rights of the Germans, and to protect the interests and join hands with the party of freedom, the party of cosmopolitan spirit, and the party of the people. We have seen the party of the people against politicians, and set down amid applause. Mr. Win. Weber followed with a speech upholding the rights of the German people.

Major Glanbeck proposed resolutions, which were unanimously passed, approving the platform of the Republican party, and pledging the support of the Convention, and pledging the hearty support of the

**THE POLITICAL CIRCUS.**

Political Dog-Fights in the First District.

The First Ward Democracy met last night, to record the nomination of Mr. W. H. Holmes for Alderman, and just before adjourned a prominent member, Walter H. Smith, was called to the floor by one *James A. White* followed, but it was soon quieted, and the meeting adjourned. Mr. Smith, in his address to the meeting, which he left to join the First Ward procession, of which he was a conspicuous and influential member.

**The Nineteenth Election Muddle.**

VICKSBURG, Miss., Oct. 27.—The Vicksburg State Executive Committee of the National Union League, in a letter to the Vicksburg Press of Tuesday, says that the Committee of the War Democrats asserting that Gen. Ames did not intend to have a free election. The Secretary of the National Union League, in reply, is addressed as follows: "The Committee of the National Union League requires an equal number of Radicals and Conservatives from the civilians to be so appointed."

**Political Squab.**

The Eighteenth Ward Singl Club will support Francis H. Purcell for Mayor.

The Ninth Assembly District Boys in Blue last night aided the nomination of Gen. Singl.

Luther Horton was nominated for the Assembly last evening by the Nineteenth District Republican Convention.

It appears to have been settled that John C. Masterton is to be the Tammany nominee for Police Justice in the Fourth District.

The Joint Committee of Arbeiter Union and Workmen's Union last night made arrangements for the mass meeting next Friday in Turn Hall.

The Republican Soldiers' and Sailors' Association of the Nineteenth Assembly District support Richard M. Greeley.

The Hon. Ezekiel Sargent, of Otsego, is the nominee of the Democrats in the Sixth District for a Justice of the Supreme Court.

The Democratic Conventions of Albany and of Oneida, Cortland, and other central counties, have passed resolutions in favor of the judicial article of the new Constitution shall be adopted.

Gov. Geary and a Sub-committee of the Union League of Albany, have been invited to attend a convention yesterday, to devise ways and means to assist the people of New York, New Jersey and Texas in coming elections in those States. Geary started last night for New-Brunswick.

**LONG ISLAND.**

A ship entered the premises of John Robinson, in Fishkill, on Tuesday afternoon, with the family were at lunch, and "went through" the whole house making a clean sweep of all the valuables.

Ironmoulders' Union No. 35 gave \$20 to the paper strikers now on strike.

The eastern railroad gave \$300 to those on strike in Worcester last night.

Everything was quiet at the Erie railroad shops in Jersey City yesterday. All the men except two were at work.

The Third Union Cooperative Land and Building Society this evening held a public mass meeting at Co-operative Hall, 24 Bowery.

The bellmen, or sounding-board makers, lately recruited from the "bell-ringers" Union, had a ratification meeting last night, and adopted a constitution and by-laws and elected permanent officers.

**NEW JERSEY.**

Jersey City, yesterday, for spitting in people's faces.

Frederick Knott pleads guilty of manslaughter in the Court of Quarter Sessions in Newark yesterday.

The coal dealers of Jersey City have raised the price of coal beyond that demanded by New York merchants.

Jane O'Connor was arrested in Jersey City last evening on the charge of attempting to kill her husband with a hatchet.

Judge Quafe of Jersey City has been appointed a first-class clerk in the Auditor's Department of the New York Custom House.

and near Newark.

Incidents have been found by the Grand Jury of the county containing thirty-six indictments for Peace for charging illegal fees.

The Soldiers' Monument in Fairmount Cemetery, Newark, is the center of controversy.

Lieut. Gov. Stewart L. Woodford is to deliver the address.

A Republican ratification meeting was held in Newark last evening. The speakers were David Hays, Cort and Parker, and John W. Taylor, candidates for the Senate.

**SPARKS FROM THE TELEGRAPH.**

James L. Hughes, of Bloomington, Ind., the Edward Farmer in a barroom row on Saturday night.

C. W. Fitzgerald, lately a mercant in Richmond, Va., blew his brains out in Amelia county yesterday.

John W. Taylor, of Virginia, and Morrison have fallen off on-chalk, and through Kentucky and the

Two hundred Onagers from the North passed through Richmond, Va., yesterday, to attend their annual meeting in Greensboro, N. C.

Max Kliner Unger, under sentence of death in St. Louis, has written to Judge Freeman asking him to secure his release.

The Commissioners appointed to examine and report on the construction of the Pacific Railroad are in session at Washington.

Snow fell heavily yesterday in Martha's Vineyard and along Cape Cod, in Massachusetts, and in Oswego and Longueville in this state.

John Casner Carpenter attempted to commit suicide in his room at his hotel in Cincinnati yesterday, by cutting his throat with a pocket-knife.

New York city has been made a general depot for the collection of the proceeds of the sale of the

At the municipal election in Baltimore yesterday for members of the City Council, the entire Democratic ticket for both branches was defeated.

A brilliant meteor was seen at 8 o'clock yesterday evening in the sky above the city. A full moon was burst with a crackle, the wing of innumerable sparks being scattered in all directions.

Large sums are due the United States from Spain, Russia, Canada and Commerce agents at the outbreak of the war, and those gentlemen are requested to step up and settle.

The report of the Trustees of the Aronville Relief Fund shows that, up to Oct. 31, \$25,339.35 was received and \$10,000.00 had been invested in Government bonds.

Secretary Fish did not invite the Peruvian, nor Mexican Ministers to the recent diplomatic dinner, but he did not refuse to invite them to his own. He starts with some to-day.